

STATE OF TENNESSEE
PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 367
SENATE BILL NO. 2002

By Haynes

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1531

By Harwell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 6, relative to the scope of negotiations.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. (a) The Select Oversight Committee on Education shall conduct a hearing on the status of differentiated pay programs in Tennessee, including bonuses or other compensation tied to performance standards. The hearing shall include testimony to update members on the following ongoing differentiated pay programs or pilot projects:

- (1) The Benwood Initiative in Hamilton County;
- (2) The Teacher Advancement Program (TAP) in Knox County;
- (3) The Vanderbilt Pay-for-Performance Study in Davidson County; and
- (4) The Tennessee Comprehensive School Performance Pay Study in Memphis.

(b) The State Board of Education shall update members of the Select Oversight Committee on Education on national research on the differentiated pay issue and review programs that are being studied in other states.

(c) The Select Oversight Committee on Education shall report its findings to the Chairs of the Education Committees of the Senate and the House of Representatives by January 15, 2010.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 21, 2009



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



KENT WILLIAMS, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 5th day of June 2009



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR